Amendment No. <u>2 to SB3358</u>

AMEND   Senate Bill No. 3358*   **House Bill No. 3329**

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 4, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

§68-221-419.

Any water and wastewater treatment authority which is created by a county legislative body pursuant to part 6 of this chapter, subject to approval by the county legislative body, may enact a regulation that creates requirements for the installation and operation of advanced treatment systems (ATS) and the structures served by such systems within such county, provided:

(a) Such requirements are equal to or more stringent than the requirements imposed on such systems or structures by the department of environment and conservation pursuant to this part or title 69, chapter 3, part 1;

(b) A copy of such regulation is filed with the department prior to its effective date;

(c) Any modifications to such regulation requested by the department at any time are promptly adopted; and

(d) Enforcement of such regulation shall be the responsibility of the county legislative body and shall not be the responsibility of the department.

SECTION 2. The provisions of this act shall only apply in counties having a population, according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census of:

not less than:	nor more than:
62,900	63,000
71,100	71,200

105,800   105,900

      SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

      SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.